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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

Appellants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 22, 2009, rejecting claims 1-6 and 8. This Notice of Appeal is proper since the claims have been twice rejected. See 37 CFR 41.31(a).

We ask that our previously paid Notice of Appeal fee be applied to this new appeal since prosecution was reopened by the Examiner after the filing of our previous *Appeal Brief*.

We hereby authorize the United States Patent and Trademark Office to charge \$30.00 to our Deposit Account No. 50-1071 to cover the difference between the previously paid notice of appeal fee (\$510.00) and the current notice of appeal fee (\$540.00).

The United States Patent and Trademark Office is also authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1071 any additional fees which may be required in connection with the filing of these papers.

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